## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

- 1-9 (Canceled)
- 10. (Currently Amended) A composition comprising adenovirus, a <u>Tris/HCI</u> buffer solution, and glycerol, wherein said buffer solution does not contain added divalent metal cations or alkali metal cations.
- 11. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 10, wherein said composition is stored at a temperature of up to 20°C.
- 12. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 10, wherein said composition is stored at a temperature ranging from 4°C to 20°C.
- 13. (Previously Presented)) The composition according to claim 10, wherein the buffer solution maintains the pH of said composition at a pH ranging from 8.0 to 9.6.
- 14. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 13, wherein the buffer solution maintains the pH of said composition at a pH ranging from 8.4 to 8.8.
- 15-16. (Cancelled)

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- 17. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 10, further comprising an adjuvant.
- 18. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 17, wherein the adjuvant is a polymer, sugar, or alcohol.
- 19. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 18, wherein the adjuvant is a polymer chosen from a polyethylene glycol, a pluronic, or a polysorbate.
- 20. (Withdrawn) The composition according to claim 18, wherein the adjuvant is a sugar chosen from sucrose, dextrose, or mannitol.
- 21. (Withdrawn) The composition according to claim 18, wherein the adjuvant is ethanol.
- 22. (New) The composition according to claim 10, wherein the molar concentration of the Tris/HCl buffer solution is 20 mM.